

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 3343 - SB 3153

January 30, 2012

SUMMARY OF BILL: Extends, from 30 to 45 days, the period in which the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (DIDD) has to respond to specific comments made at public meetings held to present and discuss operating guidelines prior to adoption.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Operating guidelines are any instructions to service providers that the Department deems or intends to be mandatory upon such providers.
- Extending the amount of time that DIDD has to respond to public comments regarding the adoption of operating guidelines by 15 days will not result in a significant impact to the implementation of such proposed guidelines.
- Any fiscal impact will not be significant and can be accommodated within existing resources without an increased appropriation or reduced reversion.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Lucian D. Geise".

Lucian D. Geise, Executive Director

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